

Rhode Island (RI) Department of Children, Youth and Families (DCYF)

Children in Foster Care

July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014

Section 1

Removals to Out-of-Home Placement: Statewide

The data presented in Section 1 reflect an unduplicated count of all children/youth removed from home and entering a RI DCYF out-of-home placement during July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014. The data include children/youth in congregate care, specialized foster care, independent and semi-independent living, relative foster care, nonrelative foster care, and court ordered. The data presented in this report were pulled from the RI DCYF data system, RICHIST.

There were 1,319 children who entered out-of-home care in FY 2014. Of these, 1,136 children (86.1%) were first time entries and 183 children (13.9%) were re-entries. Re-entry is defined as entered within 12 months of a previous discharge from all placements. These figures may be slightly different from Federal Reports that report on a Federal Fiscal Year (October 1 to September 30 time periods).

**Table 1. Number and percent of children removed to out-of-home placement, by entry and re-entry, FY13 – 14**

Entry	FY13		FY14	
	N	%	N	%
First Time Entries	1014	83.6%	1136	86.1%
Re-Entries	199	16.4%	183	13.9%
Total	1213	100.0%	1319	100.0%

**Table 2. Median age at removal for children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, FY14**

	FIRST TIME ENTRIES	RE-ENTRIES
Number of children	1136	183
Median age at removal	8	14

**Table 3. Number and percent of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, by gender, FY2014**

Gender	FIRST TIME ENTRIES		RE-ENTRIES	
	N	%	N	%
Female	525	46.2%	77	42.1%
Male	611	53.8%	106	57.9%
Total	1136	100.0%	183	100.0%

**Table 4. Number and percent of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, by race, FY14**

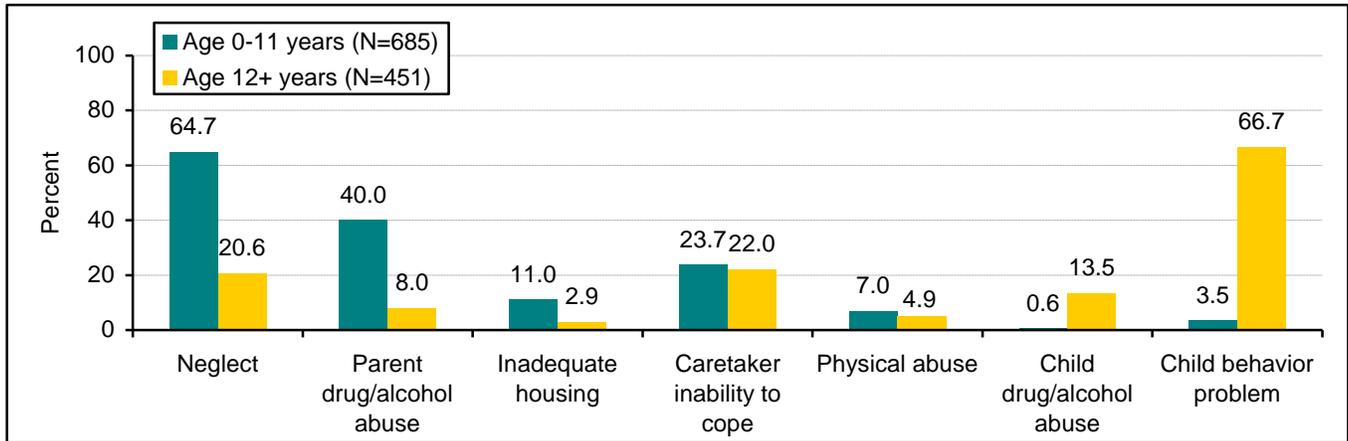
Race	FIRST TIME ENTRIES		RE-ENTRIES	
	N	%	N	%
American Indian	7	0.7%	2	1.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	7	0.7%	0	0.0%
Black	219	21.0%	37	21.3%
Multiracial	101	9.7%	23	13.2%
White	706	67.9%	112	64.4%
Unknown/Missing	96	--	9	--
Total	1136	100.0%	183	100.0%

**Table 5. Number and percent of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, by ethnicity, FY14**

Ethnicity	FIRST TIME ENTRIES		RE-ENTRIES	
	N	%	N	%
Hispanic	317	29.7%	45	25.4%
Non-Hispanic	752	70.3%	132	74.6%
Unknown/Missing	67	--	6	--
Total	1136	100.0%	183	100.0%

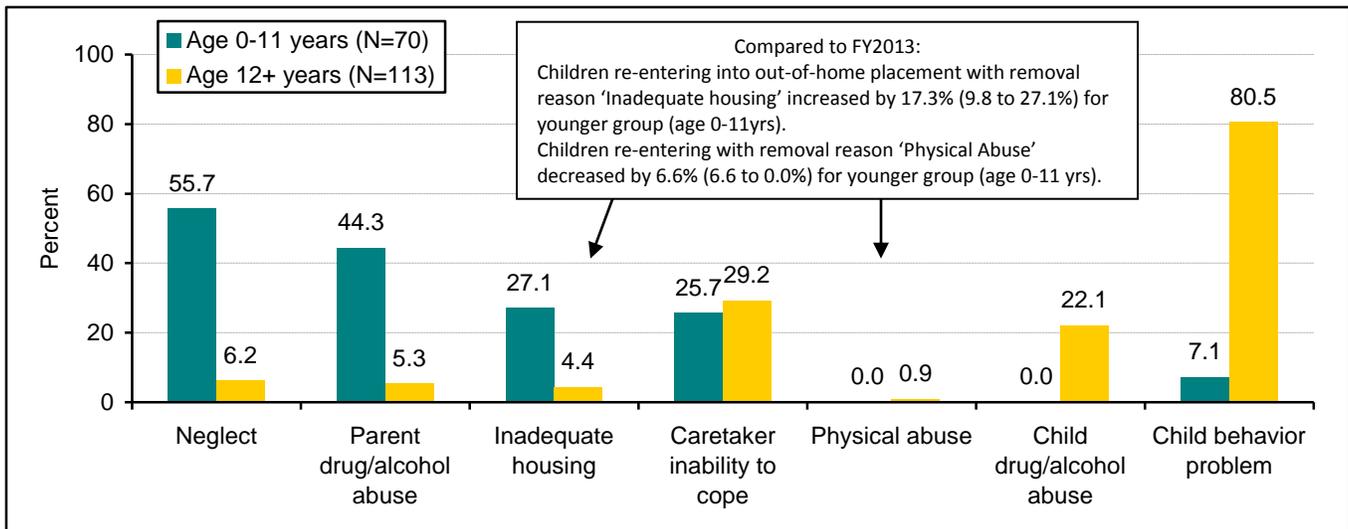
Note: If a child had multiple removals in FY14, re-entry record was selected to analyze unduplicated count. If a child had multiple re-entries in FY14, the first re-entry record was selected. Another way to look at re-entries is the percentage of re-entries in FY14 out of the discharges from all placements in FY13. This approach is used in timeliness to reunification without re-entry.

**Figure 1. Percent of children entering into out-of-home placement for the first time, by age group and frequent removal reasons, FY14**



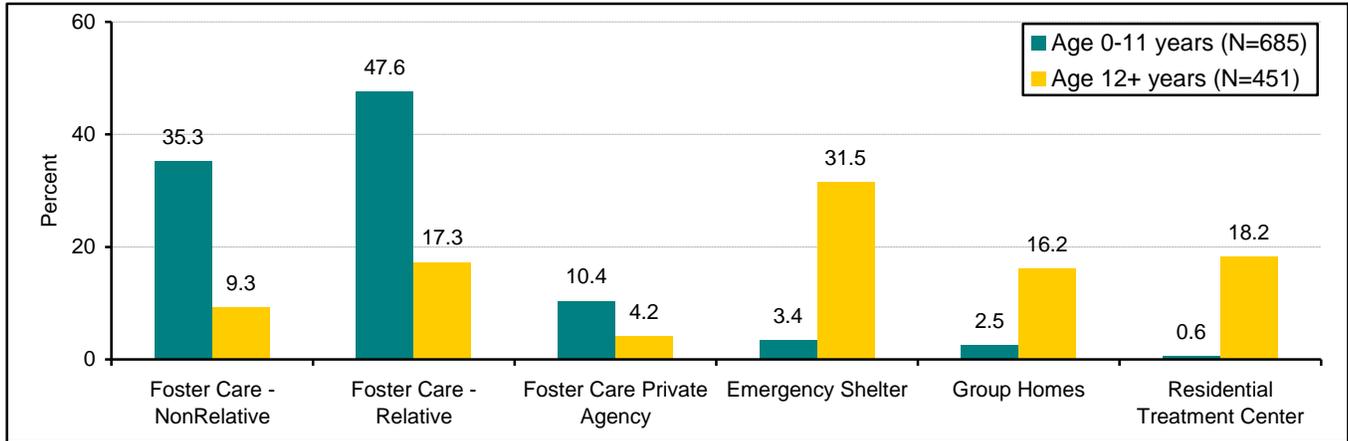
Note: Percentages may add up to over 100% because a youth may have multiple removal reasons. Removal reasons not shown include sexual abuse, clinical diagnosis, parent incarceration, parent death, abandonment, and relinquishment; the percentage for each of these removal reasons is < 10%.

**Figure 2. Percent of children re-entering into out-of-home placement, by age group and frequent removal reasons, FY14**



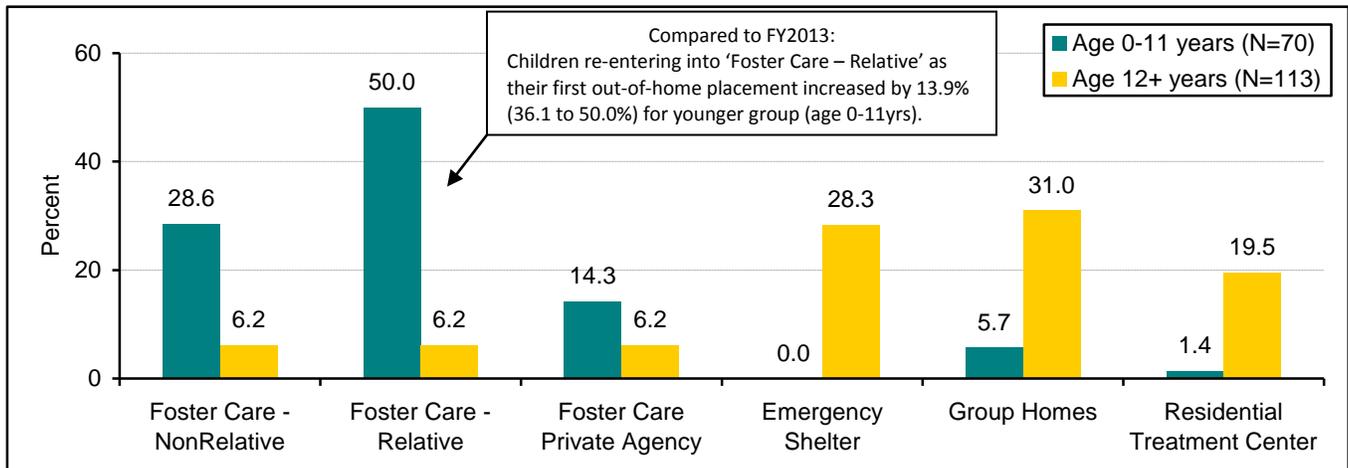
Note: Percentages may add up to over 100% because a youth may have multiple removal reasons. Removal reasons not shown include sexual abuse, clinical diagnosis, parent incarceration, parent death, abandonment, and relinquishment; the percentage for each of these removal reasons is < 5%. Relinquishment is more frequent removal reason than physical abuse for youth re-entering into out-of-home placement. However physical abuse is included in the graph above to stay consistent with children entering out-of-home placement for the first time.

**Figure 3. Percent of children entering into out-of-home placement for the first time, by age group and most frequent first placement service types of current removal, FY14**



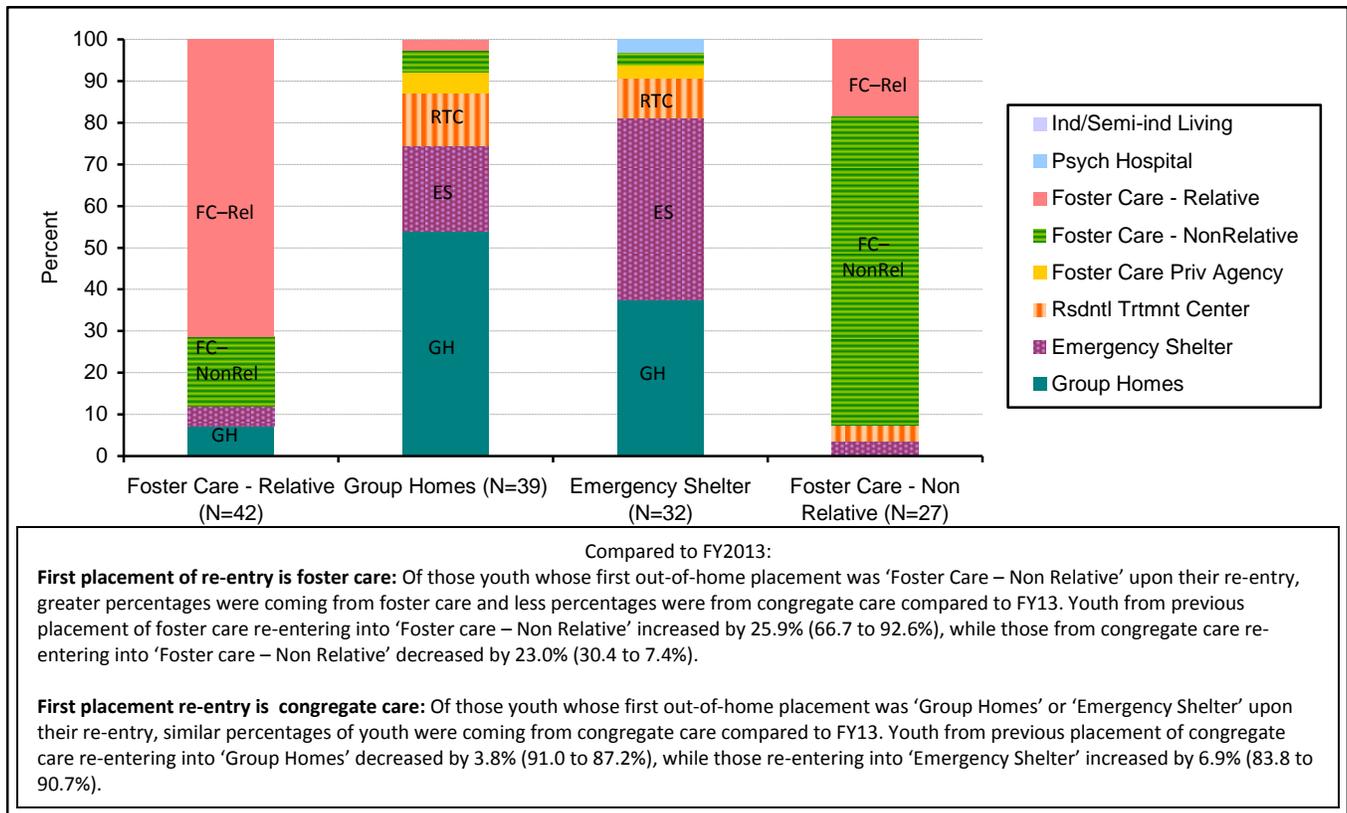
Note: Placement service types not shown include acute residential treatment, and independent / semi-independent living; the percentage for each of these placement service types is <3%. Residential treatment center includes residential treatment center, residential counseling center, and residential treatment – substance abuse.

**Figure 4. Percent of children re-entering into out-of-home placement, by age group and most frequent first placement service types of current removal, FY14**

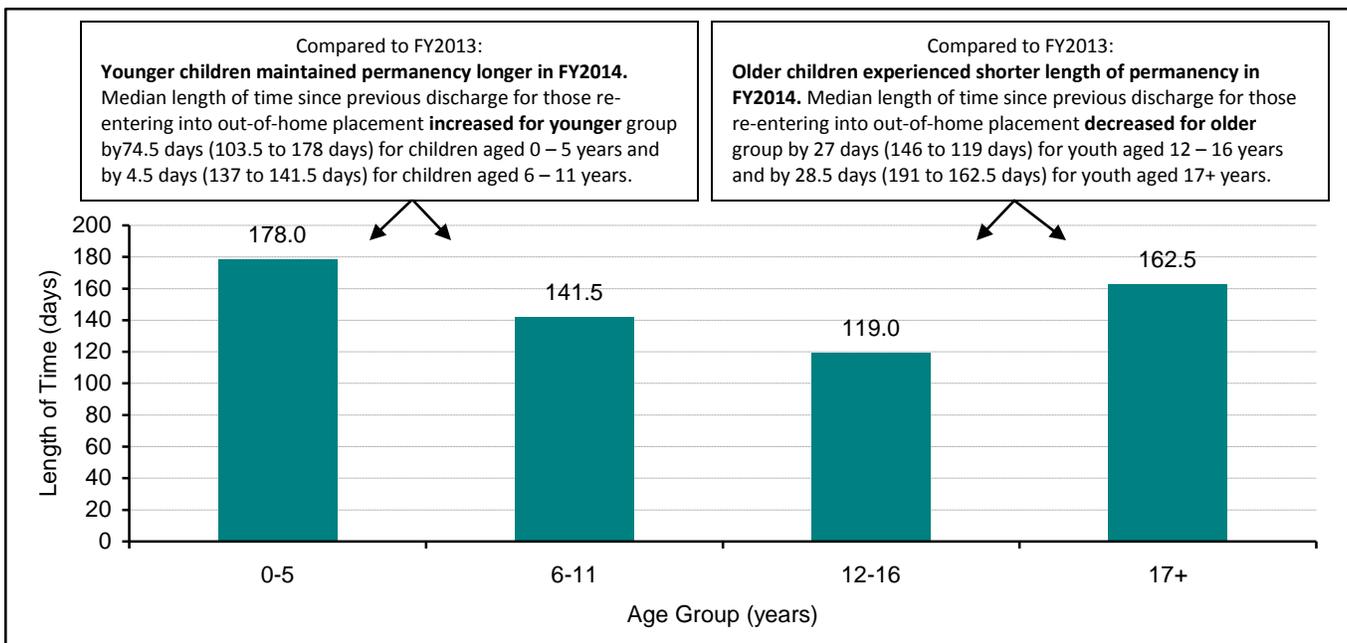


Note: Placement service types not shown include acute residential treatment, and independent / semi-independent living; the percentage for each of these placement service types is <3%. Residential treatment center includes residential treatment center, residential counseling center, and residential treatment – substance abuse.

**Figure 5. Percent of children re-entering into out-of-home placement, by placement service type at previous discharge for the most frequent first placement service types of current removal, FY14**



**Figure 6. Median length of time (days) since previous discharge for children re-entering into out-of-home placement, by age group (N=183), FY14**



## Section 2

### Removals to Out-of-Home Placement: Network-wide

The data presented in Section 2 reflect an unduplicated count of youth removed from home and entering a placement assigned to a Network at the time of removal, July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014. This includes children/youth removed from home and entering into congregate care, specialized foster care, independent and semi-independent living assigned to a Network and their siblings placed in relative foster care, nonrelative foster care, court ordered. Children assigned to network community-based services at the time of removal are also included in this section.

Children who were removed from home and their initial placement was in relative foster care, nonrelative foster care or other placement not included in list above, are not reflected in this data. For example, if a child was removed from home and placed in a foster family setting and then transitioned into a congregate care setting, their entry into the Networks of care would not be reflected in this data. If a child re-entered DCYF care and was discharged from a placement within 12 months and that previous placement was included in the Network, the child is reflected in this data.

There were 935 children who entered an out-of-home placement with an initial placement into congregate care, specialized foster care, independent or semi-independent living (and their siblings) assigned to the networks in FY 2014, including those assigned to network community-based services. Of these, 771 (82.5%) were first time entries and 164 (17.5%) were re-entries. Re-entry is defined as entered within 12 months of a previous discharge from all placements

*NOTE: It is expected that the percentage of Network-wide re-entries would be higher than non-network re-entries because children/youth in congregate care traditionally have a higher rate of re-entry than children/youth in foster care. In FY12, prior to the SOC Network implementation, the percentage of re-entries into congregate care or specialized foster care was higher than re-entries into all placement types. Re-entry information is to assist in program and service planning only. These data reflect children/youth who may have been in an out of home placement prior to the SOC Networks implementation (assigned to a Network).*

**Table 6. Number and percent of children removed to out-of-home placement, by entry and re-entry, assigned to networks, FY13 –14**

Entry	FY13		FY14	
	N	%	N	%
First Time Entries	610	78.4%	771	82.5%
Re-Entries	168	21.6%	164	17.5%
Total	778	100.0%	935	100.0%

**Table 7. Median age at removal of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, assigned to networks, FY14**

	FIRST TIME ENTRIES	RE-ENTRIES
Number of children	771	164
Median age at removal	12	15

**Table 8. Number and percent of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, by gender, assigned to networks, FY14**

Gender	FIRST TIME ENTRIES		RE-ENTRIES	
	N	%	N	%
Female	330	42.8%	68	41.5%
Male	441	57.2%	96	58.5%
Total	771	100.0%	164	100.0%

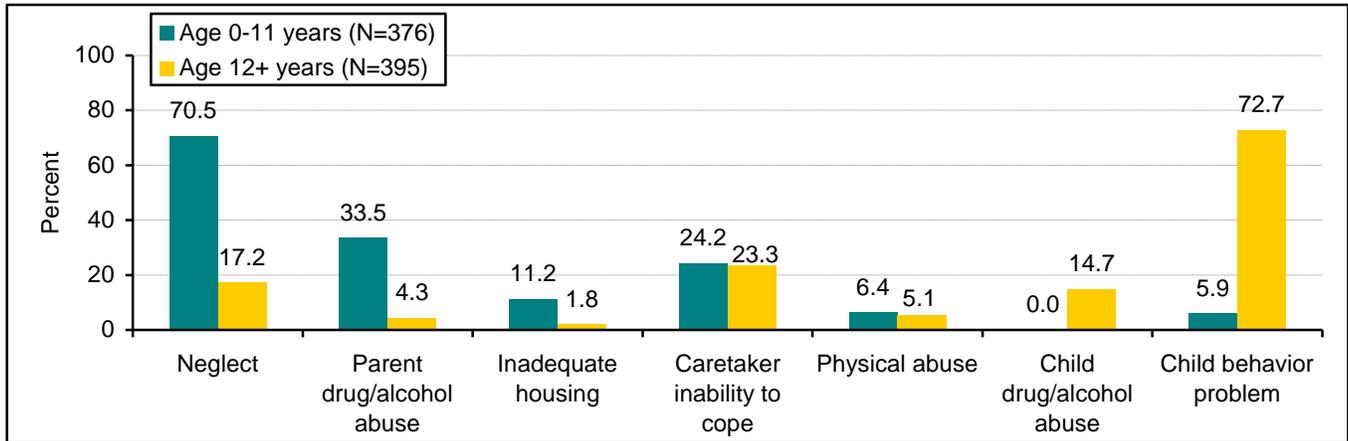
**Table 9. Number and percent of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, by race, assigned to networks, FY14**

Race	FIRST TIME ENTRIES		RE-ENTRIES	
	N	%	N	%
American Indian	5	0.7%	2	1.3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	7	1.0%	0	0.0%
Black	157	22.5%	36	23.2%
Multiracial	61	8.7%	12	7.7%
White	469	67.1%	105	67.8%
Unknown/Missing	72	--	9	--
Total	771	100.0%	164	100.0%

**Table 10. Number and percent of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, by ethnicity, assigned to networks, FY14**

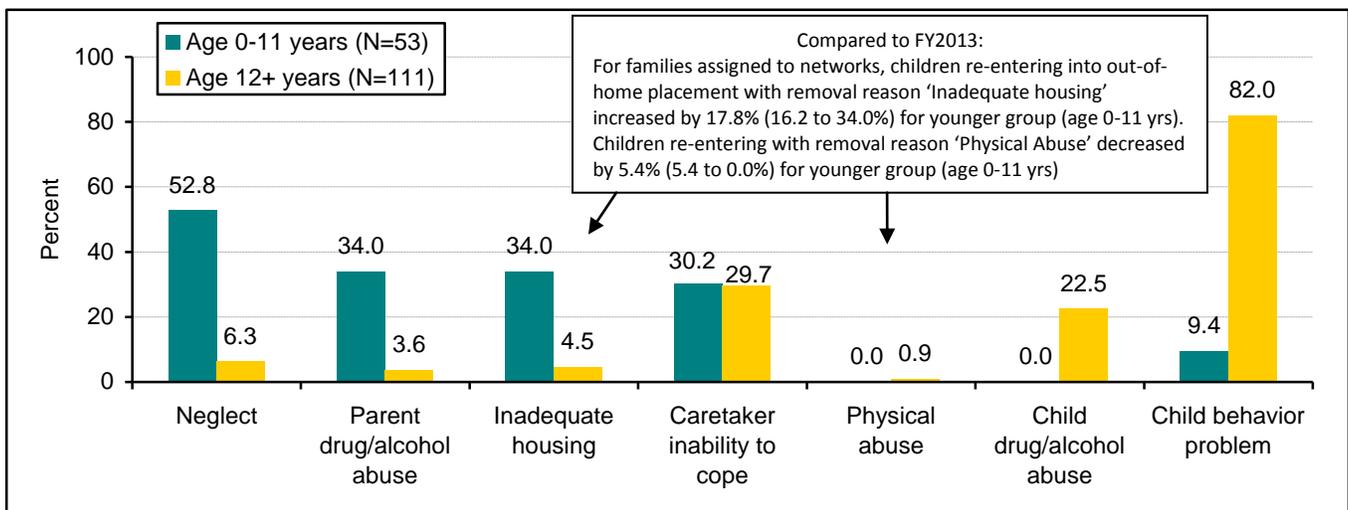
Ethnicity	FIRST TIME ENTRIES		RE-ENTRIES	
	N	%	N	%
Hispanic	235	32.1%	44	27.9%
Non-Hispanic	498	67.9%	114	72.1%
Unknown/Missing	38	--	6	--
Total	771	100.0%	164	100.0%

**Figure 7. Percent of children entering into out-of-home placement for the first time, by age group and frequent removal reasons, assigned to networks, FY14**



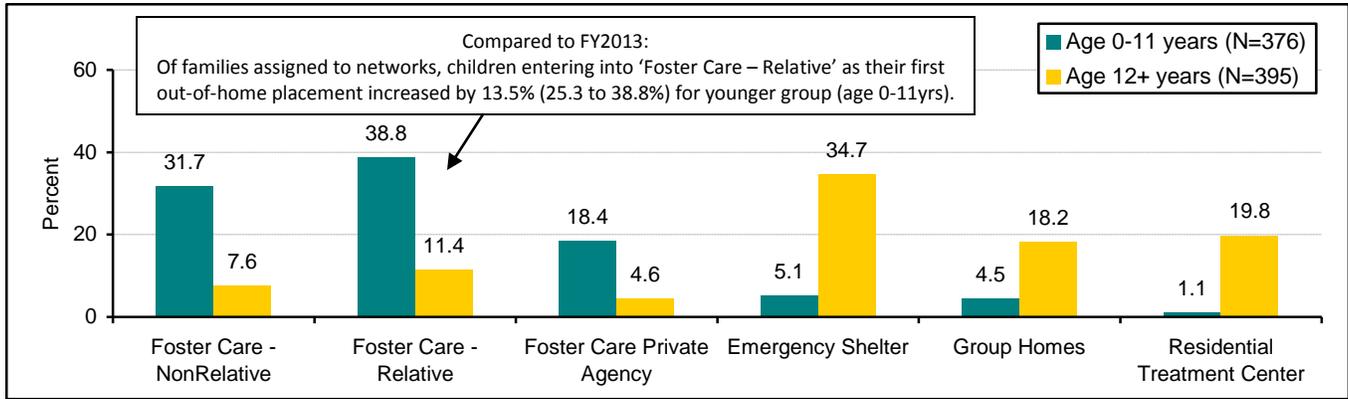
Note: Percentages may add up to over 100% because a youth may have multiple removal reasons. Removal reasons not shown include sexual abuse, clinical diagnosis, parent incarceration, parent death, abandonment, and relinquishment; the percentage for each of these removal reasons is < 10%.

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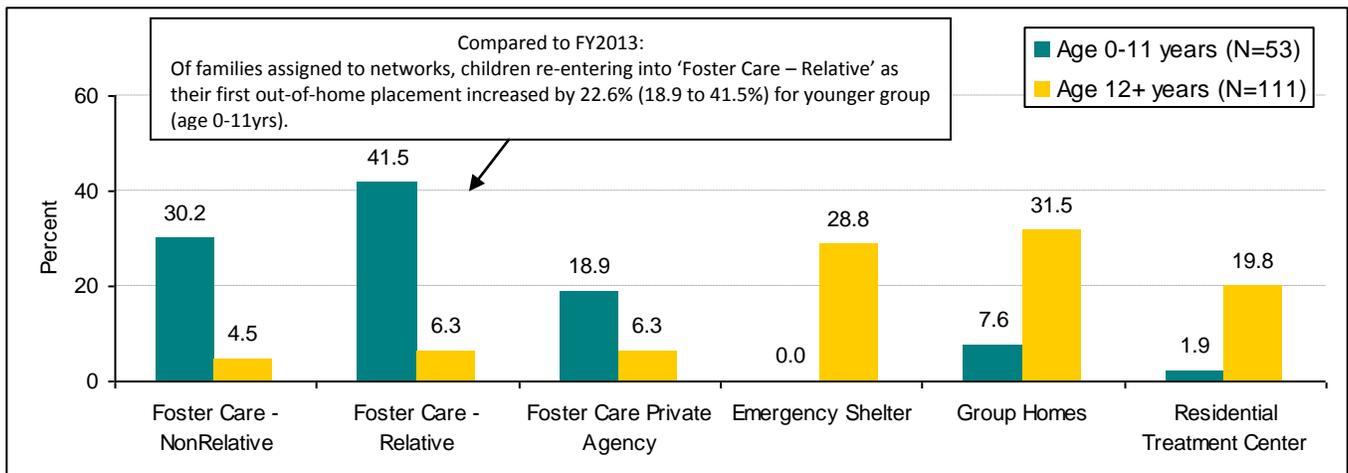
Note: Percentages may add up to over 100% because a youth may have multiple removal reasons. Removal reasons not shown include sexual abuse, clinical diagnosis, parent incarceration, parent death, abandonment, and relinquishment; the percentage for each of these removal reasons is < 6%. Relinquishment is more frequent removal reason than physical abuse for youth re-entering into out-of-home placement. However physical abuse is included in the graph above to stay consistent with children entering out-of-home placement for the first time.

**Figure 9. Percent of children entering into out-of-home placement for the first time, by age group and most frequent first placement service types of current removal, assigned to networks, FY14**



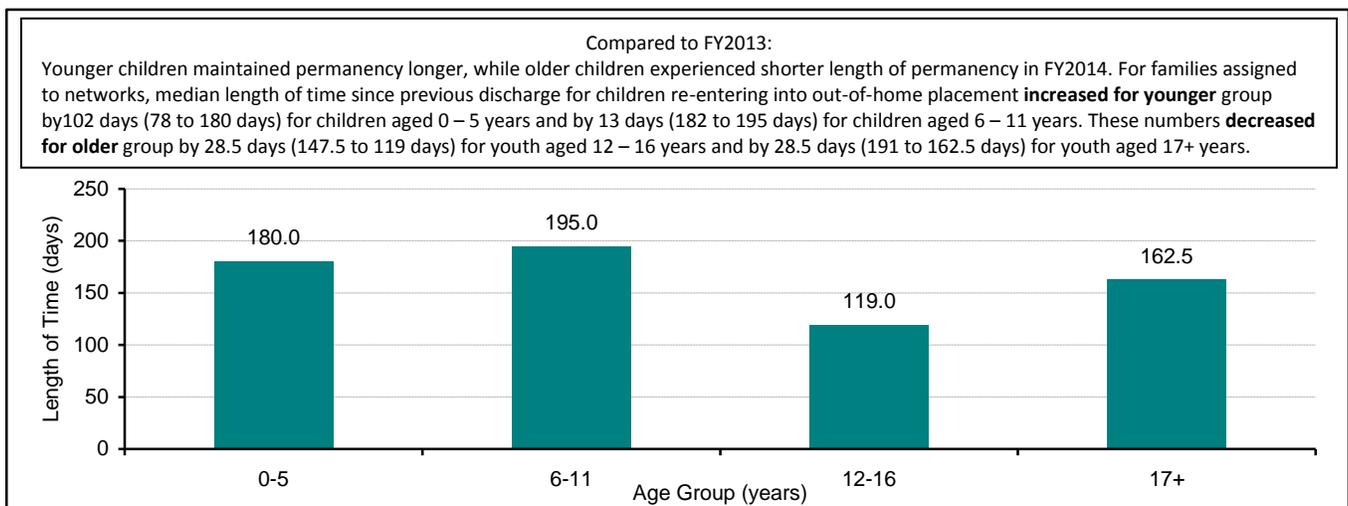
Note: Placement service types not shown include acute residential treatment, and independent / semi-independent living; the percentage for each of these placement service types is <3%. Residential treatment center includes residential treatment center, residential counseling center, and residential treatment – substance abuse.

**Figure 10. Percent of children re-entering into out-of-home placement, by age group and most frequent first placement service types of current removal, assigned to networks, FY14**



Note: Placement service types not shown include acute residential treatment, and independent / semi-independent living; the percentage for each of these placement service types is <3%. Residential treatment center includes residential treatment center, residential counseling center, and residential treatment – substance abuse.

**Figure 11. Median length of time (days) since previous discharge for children re-entering into out-of-home placement, by age group, assigned to networks (N=164), FY14**



## Section 3

### Discharges of Children/Youth: Statewide

The data presented in Section 3 reflect an unduplicated count of all children/youth discharged from all out-of-home placements during July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014. This includes children/youth in congregate care, specialized foster care, independent and semi-independent living, relative foster care, nonrelative foster care, court ordered.

There were 1,018 children discharged from all out-of-home placements in FY 2014.

**Table 11. Number of children discharged and median age at discharge from all out-of-home placements, FY13 – 14**

	FY13	FY14
N	1074	1018
Median age at discharge	14	13

**Table 12. Number and percent of children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by gender, FY14**

Gender	N	%
Female	465	45.7%
Male	553	54.3%
Total	1018	100.0%

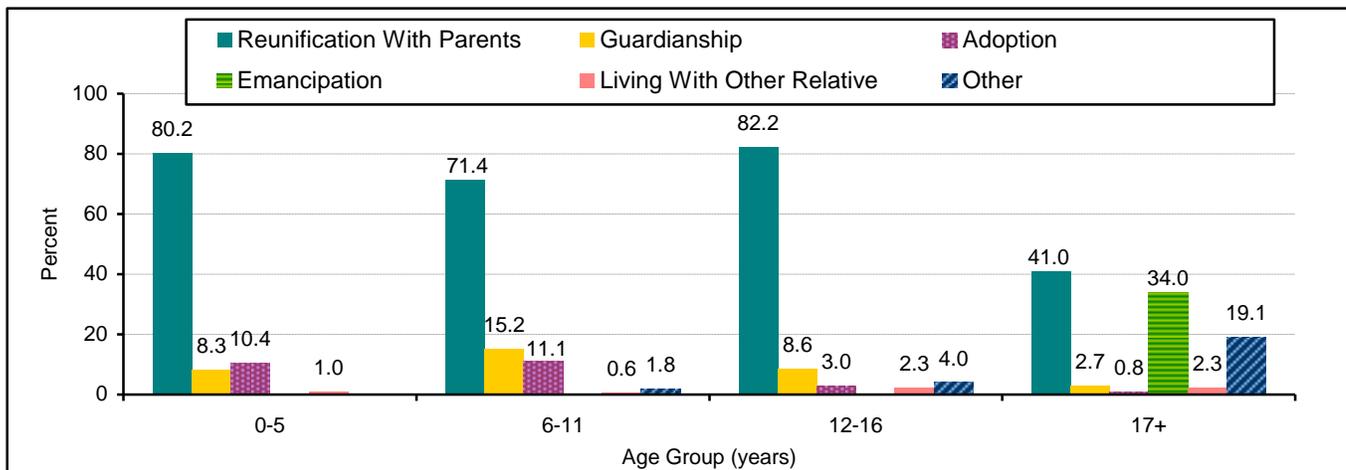
**Table 13. Number and percent of children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by race, FY14**

Race	N	%
American Indian	11	1.2%
Asian/ Pacific Islander	8	0.9%
Black	170	18.0%
Multiracial	85	9.0%
White	668	70.9%
Unknown/Missing	76	--
Total	1018	100.0%

**Table 14. Number and percent of children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by ethnicity, FY14**

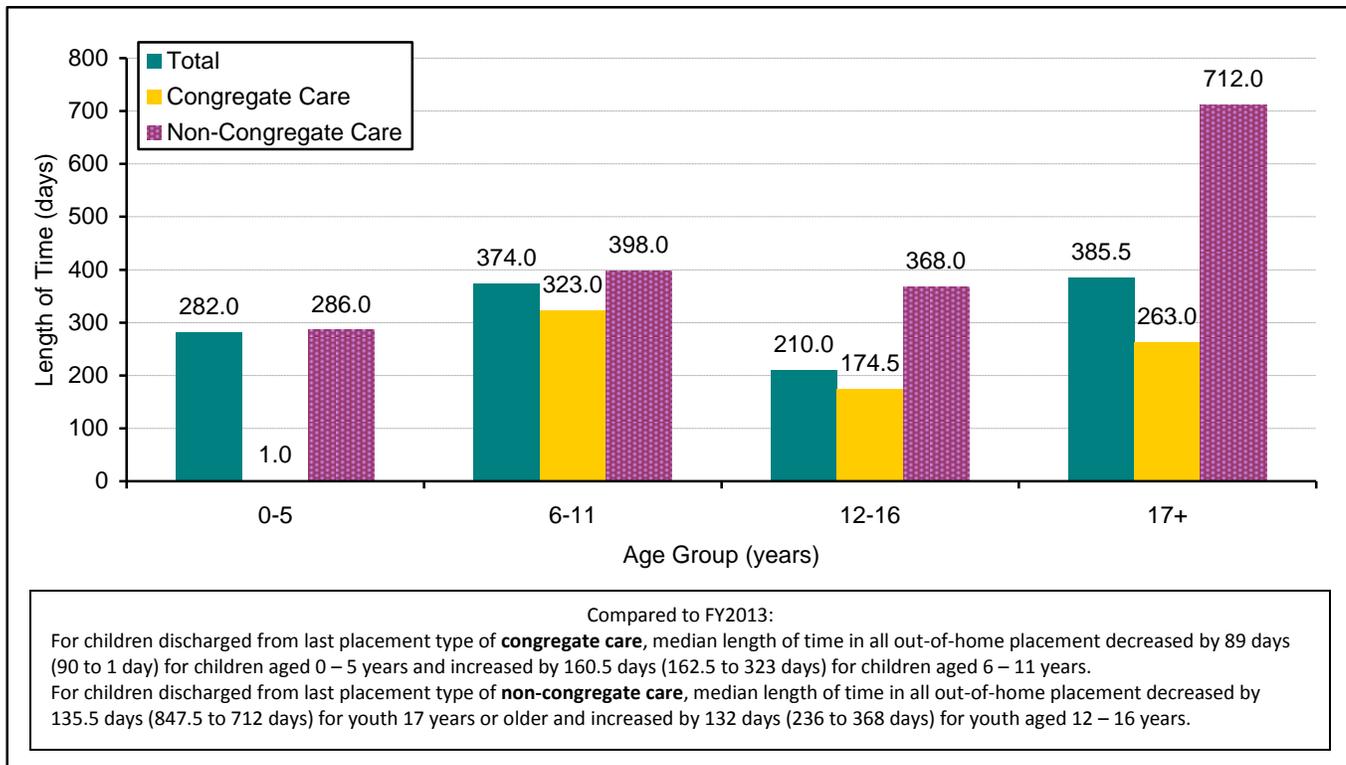
Ethnicity	N	%
Hispanic	280	28.9%
Non-Hispanic	689	71.1%
Unknown/Missing	49	--
Total	1018	100.0%

**Figure 12. Percent of children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by discharge reason and age group, FY14**



Note: If a child had multiple discharges in FY14, the first discharge record in FY14 was selected to analyze unduplicated count.

**Figure 13. Median length of time in all out-of-home placements (days) for children discharged, by last placement type and age group (N=1018), FY14**



\* Note: Congregate care includes acute residential treatment, emergency shelter, group homes, RCC, residential treatment - substance abuse, and residential treatment center

**Table 15. Number, percent, and median length of time in placement for children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by last placement service type, FY14**

Last Placement Service Type	N	%	Median Length of Time (Days) in Placement FY14	Median Length of Time (Days) in Placement FY13
Acute Residential Treatment	2	0.2%	78.5	17.0
Emergency Shelter	85	8.4%	83.0	69.0
Foster Care – Non Relative	168	16.5%	319.5	224.0
Foster Care – Relative	373	36.6%	316.0	291.0
Foster Care Private Agency	100	9.8%	619.5	572.5
Group Homes	132	13.0%	272.0	271.0
Independent / Semi-Independent Living	48	4.7%	708.0	885.5
Pre-Adoption Placement	1	0.1%	4795.0	924.0
Psych Hospital	6	0.6%	298.5	80.0
Residential Treatment Center*	103	10.1%	229.0	229.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1018</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>298.5</b>	<b>265.0</b>

\* Residential treatment center includes residential treatment center, residential counseling center, and residential treatment – substance abuse.

Last Placement Service Type	N	%	Median Length of Time (Days) in Placement FY14	Median Length of Time (Days) in Placement FY13
Congregate Care*	322	31.6%	201.5	189.5
Non-Congregate Care	696	68.4%	360.0	316.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>1018</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>298.5</b>	<b>265.0</b>

\* Congregate care includes acute residential treatment, emergency shelter, group homes, RCC, residential treatment - substance abuse, and residential treatment center

## Section 4

# Discharges of Children/Youth: Network-wide

The data in Section 4 reflect an unduplicated count of all children/youth assigned to a Network out-of-home placement and discharged during July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014. This could include discharges from all out-of-home placement types. Data reflects families who may have been open to DCYF prior to their assignment to the Network in July 2012.

There were 732 children discharged from all Networks out of-home placements in FY 2014.

**Table 16. Number of children discharged and median age at discharge from all out-of-home placements, assigned to networks, FY13 – 14**

	FY13	FY14
N	709	732
Median age at discharge	15	15

**Table 17. Number and percent of children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by gender, assigned to networks, FY14**

Gender	N	%
Female	316	43.2%
Male	416	56.8%
Total	732	100.0%

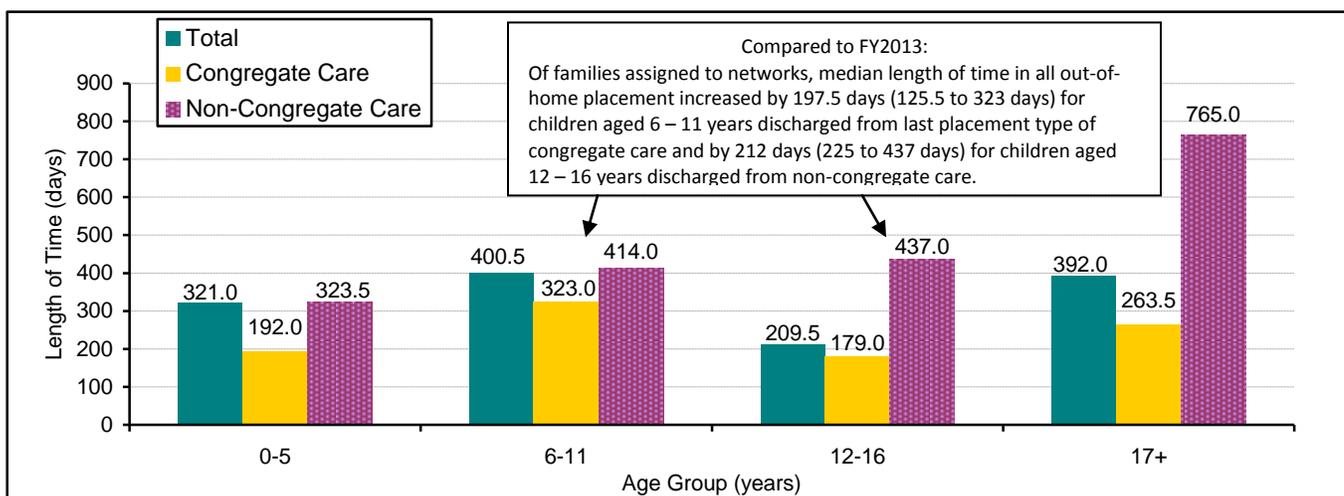
**Table 18. Number and percent of children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by race, assigned to networks, FY14**

Race	N	%
American Indian	9	1.3%
Asian/ Pacific Islander	6	0.9%
Black	125	18.7%
Multiracial	54	8.1%
White	474	71.0%
Unknown/Missing	64	--
Total	709	100.0%

**Table 19. Number and percent of children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by ethnicity, assigned to networks, FY14**

Ethnicity	N	%
Hispanic	211	31.1%
Non-Hispanic	490	69.9%
Unknown/Missing	31	--
Total	732	100.0%

**Figure 14. Median length of time in all out-of-home placements (days) for children discharged, by last placement type and age group, assigned to networks (N=732), FY14**



\* Note: Congregate care includes acute residential treatment, emergency shelter, group homes, RCC, residential treatment - substance abuse, and residential treatment center

**Table 20. Number, percent, and median length of time in placement for children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by last placement service type, assigned to networks, FY14**

Last Placement Service Type	N	%	Median Length of Time (Days) in Placement	Median Length of Time (Days) in Placement
			FY14	FY13
Acute Residential Treatment	2	0.3%	78.5	17.0
Emergency Shelter	82	11.2%	86.5	80.0
Foster Care – Non Relative	86	11.8%	326.5	185.0
Foster Care – Relative	184	25.1%	374.0	272.0
Foster Care Private Agency	96	13.1%	593.0	548.0
Group Homes	131	17.9%	273.0	273.0
Independent/ Semi-Independent Living	47	6.4%	712.0	870.0
Psych Hospital	6	0.8%	298.5	46.0
Residential Treatment Center*	98	13.4%	231.0	258.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>732</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>303.0</b>	<b>249.0</b>

\* Residential treatment center includes residential treatment center, residential counseling center, and residential treatment – substance abuse.

Last Placement Service Type	N	%	Median Length of Time (Days) in Placement	Median Length of Time (Days) in Placement
			FY14	FY13
Congregate Care*	313	42.8%	208.0	193.0
Non-Congregate Care	419	57.2%	440.0	349.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>732</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>303.0</b>	<b>249.0</b>

\* Congregate care includes acute residential treatment, emergency shelter, group homes, RCC, residential treatment - substance abuse, and residential treatment center

## Appendix: Detailed Tables

### Detailed Tables for Section 1: Removals to Out-of-Home Placement: Statewide

**Table 1. Number and percent of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, by removal reason and age group, FY2014**

Removal Reason	First Time Entries				Re-entries			
	Age 0-11 years (N=685)		Age 12+ years (N=451)		Age 0-11 years (N=70)		Age 12+ years (N=113)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Neglect	443	64.7%	93	20.6%	39	55.7%	7	6.2%
Parent drug/alcohol abuse	274	40.0%	36	8.0%	31	44.3%	6	5.3%
Inadequate housing	75	11.0%	13	2.9%	19	27.1%	5	4.4%
Caretaker inability to cope	162	23.7%	99	22.0%	18	25.7%	33	29.2%
Physical abuse	48	7.0%	22	4.9%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%
Child drug/alcohol abuse	4	0.6%	61	13.5%	0	0.0%	25	22.1%
Child behavior problem	24	3.5%	301	66.7%	5	7.1%	91	80.5%
Sexual abuse	11	1.6%	18	4.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%
Clinical diagnosis	4	0.6%	20	4.4%	2	2.9%	3	2.7%
Parent incarceration	66	9.6%	8	1.8%	2	2.9%	1	0.9%
Parent death	9	1.3%	4	0.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Abandonment	14	2.0%	6	1.3%	2	2.9%	1	0.9%
Relinquishment	6	0.9%	2	0.4%	3	4.3%	2	1.8%

Note: Percentages may add up to over 100% because a youth may have multiple removal reasons.

**Table 2. Number and percent of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, by first placement service type of current removal and age group, FY2014**

First Placement Service Type of Current Removal	First Time Entries				Re-entries			
	Age 0-11 years		Age 12+ years		Age 0-11 years		Age 12+ years	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Foster Care – Non Relative	242	35.3%	42	9.3%	20	28.6%	7	6.2%
Foster Care - Relative	326	47.6%	78	17.3%	35	50.0%	7	6.2%
Foster Care Private Agency	71	10.3%	19	4.2%	10	14.3%	7	6.2%
Emergency Shelter	23	3.4%	142	31.5%	0	0.0%	32	28.3%
Group Homes	17	2.5%	73	16.2%	4	5.7%	35	31.0%
Residential Treatment Center	4	0.6%	82	18.2%	1	1.4%	22	19.4%
Acute Residential Treatment	2	0.3%	9	2.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%
Independent/Semi-Independent Living	0	0.0%	6	1.3%	0	0.0%	2	1.8%
Total	685	100.0%	451	100.0%	70	100.0%	113	100.0%

First Placement Service Type of Current Removal	First Time Entries				Re-entries			
	Age 0-11 years		Age 12+ years		Age 0-11 years		Age 12+ years	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Congregate Care	46	6.7%	306	67.9%	5	7.1%	90	79.7%
Non-Congregate Care	639	93.3%	145	32.1%	65	92.9%	23	20.3%
Total	685	100.0%	451	100.0%	70	100.0%	113	100.0%

**Table 3. Number, percent, and median length of time (days) since previous discharge for children re-entering out-of-home placement, by age group, FY2014**

Age Group (years)	Re-entries		
	N	%	Median length of time (days) since previous discharge
0-5 years	48	26.2%	178.0
6-11 years	22	12.0%	141.5
12-16 years	79	43.2%	119.0
17+ years	34	18.6%	162.5
Total	183	100.0%	142.0

**Detailed Tables for Section 2: Removals to Out-of-Home Placement: Network-wide**

**Table 4. Number and percent of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, by removal reason and age group, assigned to networks, FY2014**

Removal Reason	First Time Entries				Re-entries			
	Age 0-11 years (N=376)		Age 12+ years (N=395)		Age 0-11 years (N=53)		Age 12+ years (N=111)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Neglect	265	70.5%	68	17.2%	28	52.8%	7	6.3%
Parent drug/alcohol abuse	126	33.5%	17	4.3%	18	34.0%	4	3.6%
Inadequate housing	42	11.2%	7	1.8%	18	34.0%	5	4.5%
Caretaker inability to cope	91	24.2%	92	23.3%	16	30.2%	33	29.7%
Physical abuse	24	6.4%	20	5.1%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%
Child drug/alcohol abuse	0	0.0%	58	14.7%	0	0.0%	25	22.5%
Child behavior problem	22	5.9%	287	72.7%	5	9.4%	91	82.0%
Sexual abuse	9	2.4%	15	3.8%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%
Clinical diagnosis	4	1.1%	20	5.1%	2	3.8%	3	2.8%
Parent incarceration	35	9.3%	7	1.8%	2	3.8%	1	0.9%
Parent death	3	0.8%	2	0.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Abandonment	6	1.6%	4	1.0%	2	3.8%	1	0.9%
Relinquishment	5	1.3%	2	0.5%	3	5.7%	2	1.8%

Note: Percentages may add up to over 100% because a youth may have multiple removal reasons.

**Table 5. Number and percent of children entering for first time and children re-entering out-of-home placement, by first placement service type of current removal and age group, assigned to networks, FY2014**

First Placement Service Type of Current Removal	First Time Entries				Re-entries			
	Age 0-11 years		Age 12+ years		Age 0-11 years		Age 12+ years	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Foster Care – Non Relative	119	31.7%	30	7.6%	16	30.2%	5	4.5%
Foster Care - Relative	146	38.8%	45	11.4%	22	41.5%	7	6.3%
Foster Care Private Agency	69	18.4%	18	4.6%	10	18.9%	7	6.3%
Emergency Shelter	19	5.0%	137	34.7%	0	0.0%	32	28.8%
Group Homes	17	4.5%	72	18.2%	4	7.5%	35	31.6%
Residential Treatment Center	4	1.1%	78	19.7%	1	1.9%	22	19.8%
Acute Residential Treatment	2	0.5%	9	2.3%	0	0.0%	1	0.9%
Independent/Semi-Independent Living	0	0.0%	6	1.5%	0	0.0%	2	1.8%
Total	376	100.0%	395	100.0%	53	100.0%	111	100.0%

First Placement Service Type of Current Removal	First Time Entries				Re-entries			
	Age 0-11 years		Age 12+ years		Age 0-11 years		Age 12+ years	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Congregate Care	42	11.2%	296	74.9%	5	9.4%	90	81.1%
Non-Congregate Care	334	88.8%	99	25.1%	48	90.6%	21	18.9%
Total	376	100.0%	395	100.0%	53	100.0%	111	100.0%

**Table 6. Number, percent, and median length of time (days) since previous discharge for children re-entering out-of-home placement, by age group, assigned to networks, FY2014**

Age Group (years)	Re-entries		
	N	%	Median length of time (days) since previous discharge
0-5 years	35	21.3%	180.0
6-11 years	18	11.0%	195.0
12-16 years	77	47.0%	119.0
17+ years	34	20.7%	162.5
Total	164	100.0%	148.5

**Detailed Tables for Section 3: Discharges of Children/Youth: Statewide**

**Table 7. Median length of time in placement (days) for children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by age group, FY2014**

Age Group (years)	N	%	Median length of time (days) in out-of-home placement
0-5 years	288	28.3%	282.0
6-11 years	171	16.8%	374.0
12-16 years	303	29.8%	210.0
17+ years	256	25.1%	385.5
Total	1018	100.0%	298.5

**Detailed Tables for Section 4: Discharges of Children/Youth: Network-wide**

**Table 8. Median length of time in placement (days) for children discharged from all out-of-home placements, by age group, assigned to networks, FY2014**

Age Group (years)	N	%	Median length of time (days) in out-of-home placement
0-5 years	141	19.3%	321.0
6-11 years	102	13.9%	400.5
12-16 years	256	35.0%	209.5
17+ years	233	31.8%	392.0
Total	732	100.0%	303.0